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Small Entity Status:

## **CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10**



hereby certify that this paper and the documents referred to as attached or enclosed are being deposited with the United الم States Postal Service on the date set forth below in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 27 CFR 1.10, with the below indicated mailing label number, addressed to MS Patent Application, Commissioner for

Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. Mailing Label Number: ER293530732US IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Attorney Docket No. BFGRP0318USA MS Patent Application Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Inventor(s): William E. Luce Title: AIRCRAFT SHOCK STRUT HAVING A FLUID LEVEL MONITOR 1. Papers Enclosed That Are Required for Filing Date under 37 CFR 1.53(b): Pages of specification including claims <u> 15</u>\_ 1 Pages of Abstract 4 Sheet(s) of drawing(s) The enclosed drawing(s) are photograph(s), and there is also attached a "PETITION TO ACCEPT PHOTOGRAPH(S) AS DRAWING(S)." 37 C.F.R. 1.84(b). 2. Additional papers enclosed: Preliminary Amendment Assignment to \_\_ Information Disclosure Statement (37 CFR 1.98) [] Form PTO-1449 П Citations Other:

Applicant claims

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[X] Not claimed.

4.	Declaration or oa	ath: [] Enclosed	[X] Not enclosed.			
	[] Enclosed is a copy of a declaration filed in prior application No. <> of which this is a [] continuation / [] divisional. The accompanying continuation or divisional application is not believed to introduce any new matter.					
5.	Language:	[X] English	[] Non-English			
	[] A verified/accurate translation is enclosed (37 CFR 1.52(d)).					

6. This application claims priority of the below listed application(s) (if any):

Country	Application No.	Filing Date	Certified Copy Enclosed
us	60/413,788	25 September 2002	No

## 7. The filing fee is calculated below.

Fee Calculation					Fee	
Basic fee →					\$750.00	
Claims*	Number filed		Number extra	Rate		
Total claims	22	-20	2	\$18.00	\$36.00	
Independent claims	2	-3	0	\$84.00	\$0.00	
Multiple dependent claims (if applicable) \$280.00						
Total of above					\$786.00	
Small entity status claimed (1 if Yes, 0 if No) →					\$0.00	
Total fee				\$786.00		
Non-English language specification \$130.00						
Fee for recording enclosed assignment \$40.00						
			Total fees		\$786.00	

<sup>\*</sup>After any attached preliminary amendment reducing the number of claims and/or deleting multiple dependencies.

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	[X]	No fee being paid at this time.			
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9.		The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 18-0988:			
	0	37 CFR 1.16(a), (f) or (g) (filing fees)			
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		Respectfully submitted,			

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